

AGENTS WANTED.
SHEETS OF GOOD.
HELP WANTED.
FOR SALE.

New Version of It.
The small son of Mr. Brant,
required a stepmother.

Man's Sympathy.
"Unquestioned" is your doctor's
sympathy for you.

Try a Dandelion.
Dandelion is a golden pill
which cures all ailments.

Markable Bat Cave.
A bat cave near Montreal,
Lazav, has been discovered.

Liniment Lumberman's.
A lumberman's liniment
is a great remedy for rheumatism.

Eye Sterilize Milk.
The French Academy of
Medicine has approved this
sterilizing process.

Letting.
A letting of land for sale
is now being offered.

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LICENSES TO EVANGELISTS.

Proposal to Suspend Educational Test in Cases.

Rev. W. J. Smith, of Guelph, Elected President.

Brantford Despatch—In the opinion of this conference, the time has come for the devising of means by which men gifted to preach the gospel, but who do not possess the education called for under the Methodist Church discipline, can be ordained as ministers.

The above resolution was unanimously passed at the ministerial session of the Hamilton conference, which opened its general meeting in Wellington Street Methodist Church, Toronto, today. It is intended to prepare a memorial, which will be forwarded to the general conference two years hence, conveying this message and asking that the necessary legislation be granted to make such a state of affairs possible.

Those who spoke in favor of the ordinance mentioned the great scarcity of men willing to prepare for the Methodist ministry all over Canada. This move, while rather drastic, would fill up the ranks, as Mr. Lowe was only one of a great many earnest men similarly placed.

The general conference opened in the afternoon. Rev. W. J. Smith, of Guelph, was elected president, by an overwhelming majority on the first ballot, he securing 170 votes out of a possible 261.

Another incident of the afternoon session was the generous and spontaneous response to a request for financial aid by Rev. Leashley Hill, of Fenwick, B. C. This minister is seeking aid to assist in the rebuilding of his church, which was burned in the great fire of last summer.

Mr. Joseph Gibson, of Ingersoll, President of the Dominion Alliance, went on the platform and in ten minutes \$341.30 had been subscribed by the clergy and laymen. Of this amount \$101.30 was collected in cash.

Rev. Dr. Chown, of Toronto, General Secretary of the Committee on Temperance and Moral Reform, and Rev. W. E. Hassard, Secretary of the Canadian Bible Society, also gave short addresses. Dr. Chown confined himself entirely to problems arising out of his own branch of work.

SHOULD AM TO PREVENT.

Prof. Osler Addresses Ontario Medical Association.

Attitude of Profession Towards Treatment of Disease.

Toronto Despatch—An active skepticism, the open and inquiring mind, should be the attitude of medical men toward the treatment of disease, said Professor William Osler, regius professor of medicine at Oxford University, in an address before the Ontario Medical Association yesterday afternoon.

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REFERRED TO COMMISSION.

Status of Queen's Will Be Reported on Next Year.

An Interesting Debate Was Concluded Friday.

Principal Gordon made a case for a judge, but both Dr. R. Campbell, and especially Mr. G. M. Macdonnell, captured the majority of the jury. As a pleader it would be hard to find the equal of Queen's Principal, either in Parliament or in civil law.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

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EXPRESS CO'S.

Big Returns on Investment Shown by Mr. Buell.

Commissioners Rule Against Proceedings in Camera.

Toronto despatch: The inquiry by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada into the question of rates tolls and the practice of express companies in connection with the carrying of packages occupied the attention of the board in this city all day yesterday, as well as a portion of the preceding day, and will be continued. Mr. W. S. Buell, of Brockville, quoted figures as to the capitalization of the express companies, etc., with a view to showing that their returns were too high in proportion to the money the companies had invested in their businesses.

Mr. Eugene LeFleur, K. C., representing the Canadian Express Company, said he had no objection to the press taking note of the figures that were to be given, but Mr. F. H. Crysler, K. C., representing the Dominion Express Company, demurred.

Chief Commissioner Maybee gave a ruling as follows: "My fellow commissioner and I are of opinion that the capitalization of a public utility corporation is a question of public interest, and that the express rates, and the people have a right to come here and hear all the proceedings. We have no sympathy with proceedings in camera."

With reference to the Dominion Express Company, Mr. Buell said that these figures: The company was incorporated in 1882 with a nominal capital of \$1,000,000, of which \$100,000 was paid up. The company's total property was valued at \$3,000,000. For accommodation on the C. P. R. \$180,000 a year was paid. In 1908 the company's net profits were 92 per cent, and, exclusive of money orders, 75 per cent. Property worth nearly \$600,000 had been accumulated.

As to the Canadian Northern Railway Express Company, Mr. Buell stated that it was incorporated in 1902 with a capital of \$1,000,000, of which amount \$300,000 was issued. Only \$5,000 was paid in, and the remainder, \$295,000 was retained by the vendors, Messrs. W. M. Mackenzie, D. D. Mann, Z. A. Lash, K. C., Roderick Mackenzie and one or two others. The property account showed the value of the express property to be \$38,303. The average net earnings were about 100 per cent on the value of the property. Mr. Buell could not find any evidence of a contract between the Canadian Northern Railway Company and the Canadian Northern Express Company.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Express Company, as quoted by Mr. Buell, in a statement of earnings, showed a net profit of \$25 since Oct. 27, 1908. "Previous to the citation of figures by Mr. Buell a lengthy argument on behalf of the express companies had been made by Messrs. Crysler and LeFleur, who contended that the tolls charged by express companies and their practices in connection with the carrying business were reasonable and satisfactory to the public. Mr. Shepley on behalf of the commission claimed that the express companies were public concerns, should give through rates and should have a joint tariff."

THE RIOT IN PHILADELPHIA.

A Hundred Wounded Under Treatment in the Hospitals.

Philadelphia, June 7.—Conditions outwardly were peaceable this morning in Philadelphia, following last night's riotous outbreak in certain sections, when the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. put into effect its order to run cars after midnight, something that has not been attempted since the strike of its motormen and conductors began last Saturday.

All those injured in last night's riotous outbreak were being treated in the hospitals. The station houses were filled to overflowing with persons arrested for rioting. As a result of the rioting, which was the result of last night's rioting there were minor disturbances this morning, probably that at any time since the strike began. Nothing serious happened, however, the strike sympathizers merely devoting their energies to the harassment of the strike-breakers, and others who are running the comparatively few cars that are on the street.

Four hundred additional sub-policemen were sworn in this morning. Timothy O'Leary, assistant superintendent of police, who has been in active charge of the policing of the city since the strike began, declared today that if necessary, to preserve order, 1,000 extra men will be enrolled for police duty.

The husband (during the quarrel)—You're always making bargains. Was there ever a time when you didn't? The wife—Yes, dear, on my wedding day—Stray Stories.

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MONTREAL VICE.

Tolerance and Medical Inspection in Montreal.

Montreal, June 2.—Evidence was given at this morning's session of the Royal Commission by Chief Campeau and Captain Helbert that the police authorities had tolerated out of their eyes the vice in Montreal, and that in July last year, at the request of Mr. Recorder Dupuis, a system of medical inspection was begun. Later on this inspection was suspended, and it was stated today that information of what was being practiced reached the ears of Archbishop Bruchesi, and that he at once took measures to stop it. It was referred to this morning as "a system."

In the course of his evidence Chief Campeau made a statement on the subject which was in harmony with the remarkable declaration made from the Bench by Recorder Dupuis some weeks ago. The Chief was of the opinion that the social evil could not be stopped in a city like Montreal, and he said the judgments of Mr. Recorder Weir, which condemned the women in prison, had resulted in removing them—the police did not know where—except that they must be in private families and prying the streets.

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